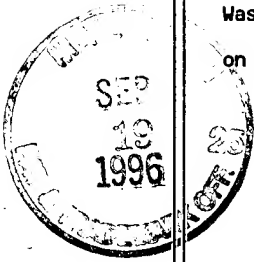


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Filed: October 25, 1994)	
For: RECOMBINANT ADENOVIRAL)	<u>AMENDMENT</u>
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 16, 1996, in the above-referenced patent application, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks. A petition for a two months extension of time and authorization to charge the appropriate fee have been enclosed, extending the period for response to September 16, 1996.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please insert --now abandoned, -- on p. 1, line 4 after "1994," and on p. 1, line 6, after "1993,".

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 2, 4, 5, and 16-31 without prejudice.

Please amend the following claims: